



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Appl. No** : **10/711,469**  
**Applicant** : **Zamfes**  
**Filed** : **September 20, 2004**  
**Title** : **Formation Gas Pore Pressure**  
**Evaluation on Drilling Cuttings Samples**  
  
**TC/A.U.** : **2856**  
**Examiner** : **Fitzgerald, J.**

**Commissioner for Patents**  
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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

Sir:

This paper is filed to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action dated June 22, 2006. A petition to extend the time for filing this response five (5) months and the remainder of the appropriate fee not yet paid to date are enclosed. In view of the amendments to the claims and the following remarks, reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.